

KEYNOTE ADDRESS BY VICE PRESIDENT

Taggart Endorsed For U. S. Senator By Democrats of Indiana

(By Associated Press)
Indianapolis, Ind., May 20—"Equal and exact justice to all men" as a remedy for unrest was prescribed by Vice President Marshall in his keynote address today before the State Democratic Convention. He also urged jail sentences for profiteers and increased production to relieve the high cost of living.

"I hold that the Democratic doctrine of equal and exact justice to all men and of special privileges to none will meet all the angry and irreconcilable views of today," said Mr. Marshall.

The Vice President also expressed that President Wilson and the Senate would reconcile their differences over the peace treaty and that it would be ratified; but said no man should be read out of the Democratic party because of his opinion on the League of Nations.

"This was, as I understand it," the Vice President said, "an American war. The peace should be an American peace. The war could not have been fought successfully as either a Democratic or Republican war. The peace can not bring that real peace which the American people want if it be made either as a Democratic or a Republican peace."

"I still hope that the President and the Senate will reach an accord upon such terms as will enable the treaty to be ratified and a de jure peace to be made with the government of Germany, but as I grant to no man the right to read me out of the Democratic party nor to say to me that I can not stand upon its platform, advocate the election of its candidates and vote for them, I, myself, will not say to any man that his views upon the League of Nations inevitably place him without the Democratic fold."

Mr. Marshall closed his speech with an endorsement of Thomas Taggart, for United States Senator from Indiana and with a plea for Indiana democracy "not to remove the ancient landmarks, to hold fast to the faith, to be strong and to acquit themselves like men."

"Success is desirable but honor is needed," the Vice President declared. Any let up in the enforcement of national prohibition until legal change has been made in its provisions was opposed by Mr. Marshall who warned the Democratic party that "it would merit the contempt of the people if it ever stands for the flaunting of a law because certain citizens do not believe in it."

"While the prohibition amendment remains it must be suffered in accordance with its provisions," he said. "If crystallizing public sentiment does not as the days go by get back of it, the people will find a way lawfully to lessen what some deem to be its rigors."

The Vice President assailed the Republican congress for its work during the last year, declaring it has "laid its hand upon nothing and has thought of nothing save a proposal to prevent during an unprecedented scarcity of manufactured products the dumping of foreign made goods on our markets an obligation to the great God Protection that will not permit the lowering of prices less than 300 per cent stock dividends may no longer be declared and thus the working men be put upon an equality with the pauper labor of Europe."

Mr. Marshall declared the aftermath of the war in legislative halls would be heart breaking if it were not humorous and charged that the Republicans have spent to show that the victory which we won was really a defeat.

"The Republican party has not rehabilitated America," the Vice President said. "The question now is, to what party will the people commit the work of reconstruction?"

Advice To Merchants

(By Associated Press)
Chicago, May 20—Bankers here today advised merchants to liquidate their stocks and curtail borrowing. Agriculture and other necessities will have first call on credit requirements, they said.

DO you know the story of the "Battalion of Death?" Hear Col. Smith at the First Christian church Saturday night. 120 4

The Richmond Greenhouse will make a specialty of cut flowers for the May Festival week. Give them your order right away. 119-3

NEARLY ALL REPUB. DELEGATES ELECTED

(By Associated Press)
Chicago, May 20—With the Republican National Convention only 18 days away, and all but 85 of the delegates already elected, the situation facing the republican candidates is that no candidate will enter the convention with enough pledged votes to give him any decided advantage over his opponents. Forty-seven of the 53 states and territories have chosen delegations, and are sending 537 uninstructed delegates, 44 more than a majority, over those who will sit in the convention. Gen. Wood on the face of returns, will show the most strength on the first ballot, with Johnson, Lowden and Harding, following in that order. Campaign managers agree there will be no nomination on the first ballot.

TEN ARE KILLED IN W. VA. GUN FIGHT

(By Associated Press)
Matewan W. Va., May 20—One hundred deputy sheriffs armed with rifles, today patrolled the streets of this mining village, where ten persons were killed last night in a battle between private detectives and citizens. Deputies were rushed here by Sheriff Blankenship, and they had the situation in hand at daylight and quiet prevailed.

Thirty members of the state police force arrived during the forenoon and patrolled the streets with deputy sheriffs. There was no recurrence of disorders. The authorities today are unable to formulate a correct list of those killed but state that ten met persons met death.

The trouble, according to advices, came through the killing of a man named Albert Felts, by a miner for whom he had a warrant. Detective Ferguson who was nearby, is said to have shot the miner, whereupon the officer was shot and instantly killed. This brought on the battle, which terminated in nine additional deaths. Miners are said to be averse to a detective agency operating in that section, and all trains entering the mining districts are reported as being searched by them in an effort to keep them out.

Awaits Lower Sugar Price
(By Associated Press)
New York, May 20—The National Preserving Company here today announced it would stay out of the sugar market until the price recedes. President Blake more asserted that no sugar and high prices were due to speculation.

Daylight Law Remains

(By Associated Press)
Albany, May 20—Daylight saving remains in New York since Governor Smith today vetoed the bill designed to repeal the daylight savings law.

Germany Busy Printing

(By Associated Press)
Berlin, May 20—Germany's paper money now in circulation amounts to 60,000,000 marks and is increasing by 1,000,000,000 marks a week, declares August Mueller, former Minister of Economics. The printing of bank notes is the only flourishing industry in Germany today, he writes.

Germany's indebtedness, says Herr Mueller, is now about 230,000,000,000 marks. This, he adds, is, perhaps, redeemable at the present low value of the mark but never if it recovers even half its former value.

American Catholics

(By Associated Press)
Omaha, May 20—The beginning of vigorous Catholic missionary work in China by American Catholics is forecast in the sailing May 25 from Seattle of a party of Catholic priests, which according to the Rev. Edward J. Galvin, includes the first large group of Catholic missionaries to be sent from this country to China. The Chinese Mission Society, which Rev. Mr. Galvin founded in 1916 has recently purchased 250 acres near Omaha with the purpose of erecting there a college for the education of priests for mission work in China.

CONCLAVE FILLS CITY OF LEXINGTON

Richmond Commandery Furnished Own Band and Gave Brilliant Reception

The second day of the Templar Conclave at Lexington is in full sway and hundreds from Richmond and vicinity are enjoying the festivities and many will remain over Friday for the Shrine features. The extensive program has been carried out without interruption and the attendance has been beyond that expected by the most sanguine.

The reception by Richmond Commandery Wednesday night at the Phoenix hotel was a delightful affair, the local knights and ladies in attendance proving themselves equal to the occasion being deluged with guests during the entire evening. The dance following the reception was enjoyable and participated in by many from this city and section of the state.

The Richmond Commandery surprised many by appearing in the parade headed by a band from this city. This was due to the work of J. H. Leeds, manager of the old Richmond band, who was assisted by Nelson Elder, Charles Nelson, Charles Stanifer and Edward Warford, of Richmond, five students from Berea college and Laren Case and Howard Poynter, of Maysville. The local commandery occupied a position about the middle of the procession. The program for Thursday is as follows:

9 a. m.—Session of the Grand Commandery.
10 a. m.—Motion picture entertainment for visiting ladies. Auspices of Ladies Auxiliary Webb Commandery Assemble at Masonic Temple.

12 p. m.—Luncheon, Grand Commandery, Masonic Temple.

2 p. m.—Visit to Home Economics State University by visiting ladies. Auspices Ladies Auxiliary of Webb Commandery.

3 p. m.—Grands Review and Competitive Drill.

7 p. m.—Band Concert, Breckinridge Square, Ranshaw's Concert Band.

8 p. m.—Reception and dance by Oleika Temple, Mystic Shrine for Grand Commandery and all Shrine knights and ladies at Phoenix hotel.

Thought Boy Was Crying "Wolf"
New Castle, Ky., May 20—Because his phone call for a doctor was regarded as a joke, Charles Rosenberg, 13 years old, is dead of a pistol wound. After the boy left alone in the home of his foster parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gividen, had accidentally shot himself through the intestines he telephoned a physician's house "Something awful has happened," he told the doctor's wife.

The woman, not knowing that the boy was shot and presuming his foster parents were at home, dismissed the call as a joke. Three hours later when Mr. and Mrs. Gividen returned, they found the boy in a dying condition.

The physician rushed the boy to St. Joseph's Infirmary, Louisville. Loss of blood, however, had weakened him and he died soon after reaching the hospital.

Bandits Shoot Up Town

Toledo, O., May 20—Six bandits early today shot up the Main street of Delta, Ohio, near here seriously wounded citizens and invaded the Peoples Savings Bank and escaped with \$12,000 in cash and Liberty bonds.

The townspeople scurried for shelter as the bandits sped thru the main street in an automobile, shooting promiscuously. Entering the bank the bandits slugged Assistant Cashier Casler, and other employees were forced into a rear room. The bandits escaped toward Toledo.

Lookout, Hoptown

Washington, May 20—The population of Hopkinsville, Ky., will be announced tomorrow forenoon.

YOU can't afford to miss hearing Col. Smith Saturday night. 4

CHANGE OF DATE

The date of the Federation of Music Clubs contest has been changed from Thursday May 27 to Wednesday May 26th it will be held at 8 p. m. at the Normal Auditorium. No admission will be charged and the musical public are invited.

COL. Dan Morgan Smith will deliver his celebrated war lecture here Saturday night. Don't fail to hear him. 120 4.

THE WEATHER

Partly cloudy tonight and Friday; showers tonight in east portion.

THE MARKETS

Cincinnati—Hogs steady; Chicago steady; butcher cattle steady; calves \$1 lower.
Louisville, May 20—Cattle 100; hogs 2,400; steady; sheep, 100; steady; all unchanged.

PATRONS BOOST SCHOOL PROJECT

Enthusiastic Reception Tendered County Board At Berea—Purse Strings Loose

The unusual experience of having a committee all ready for the purpose of raising funds, and a large number of residents of the county insisting upon giving for school purposes in a voluntary manner, was that of the members of the Madison county school board Tuesday when they, together with county superintendent Edwards, reached Berea. They were met by a committee and tendered enthusiastic reception. The college officials and the board in general complimented the county board upon the matter of establishing an eight or nine months school term. They then presented the matter of consolidating the Narrow Gap and Pilot Knob schools and stated they were willing to finance a part of the proposition and would donate grounds for the experimental farm, as well as give a portion of the fund for the establishment of necessary buildings. This insures the completion of the plans and the project, one of the first of its kind in the state to be established and operated independently and the near future will record the furthering of the plans which may undergo a change, since the generous assistance has been pledged. This came through the residents of the nearby districts. One of the members of the board, Mr. Mohrly, said that the future surely looked bright, since the patrons insisted upon paying for the improvements as outlined by the board and even on a more extensive scale. Superintendent Edwards said Wednesday that he was greatly pleased with prospects and co-operation upon the part of so many of the patrons as well as residents of the districts, where the improvements are to be made.

DOUBLE HEADER

BRINGS EVEN BREAK

The Sue Bennett and Eastern Normal school teams have a game apiece to their credit, as a result of the doubleheader played Wednesday afternoon at the local school grounds and the story might have been different had the local men been able to hit Waldon, the twirler for the visitors. He "put 'em over" in such a manner that the batsmen were guessing throughout the game, however they succeeded in running up a score of 7 to 2 in the first game. The second resulted in a victory for the visitors by a score of 9 to 2.

The Eastern team will go to Barboursville Sunday where they are booked for games on Monday and Tuesday of next week. This will make 11 games for the team this year. Of the nine, they have won three, Stanford being the only opposing team they have failed to win from. After the two games at Barboursville, a number of other games will be booked for the local grounds during the latter part of the season.

Rice, the Eastern school crack pitcher, will go from Hazard, and pitch the two games against Barboursville.

NO CIRCUIT COURT TODAY

There being no cases down for trial today, there was no session of the Madison circuit court. The regular session will be resumed on Friday morning and will continue until the work of finishing up the cases now on the docket, which will bring the work up to the hearing of the cases resulting from the recent grand jury operations.

Will Luxon, of the Luxon garage, is in Detroit, to drive back a Paige coupe, which he has sold here.

TAKE VOTE ON WOMEN AS ELDERS

Important Matter Comes Up Before the Presbyterian General Assembly

(By Associated Press)
Philadelphia, May 20—Admission of women to ordination as ruling elders of the Presbyterian church is a question that will be submitted to a referendum vote of the entire denomination in the United States, if the recommendation of a commission which has been studying the subject for the past year is approved by the Presbyterian General Assembly which opens its annual sessions here tonight.

A survey, taken by the Commission on the Official Relation of Women in the Church, in which the opinions of leading ministers, elders and women was obtained, led its members to these conclusions:

"That the Scriptures did not forbid either women elders or women preachers; that three other denominations ordain women to the ministry but that few women avail themselves of the privilege; that four other denominations did not have women preachers and are not inclined to have them; that the evidence shown is favorable to women as elders but unfavorable to women as ministers; that of the Presbyterians canvassed 60 per cent favored women as elders, 48 per cent favored women as ministers, while 31 1-2 per cent opposed any change in the present usage of the church."

An elder in the Presbyterian church occupies a spiritual office but does not preach. He assists the minister in his religious duties and, as a prebyter, is a member of the governing body of the church endowed with the function among others, of maintaining denominational doctrine and administering discipline. For centuries the office has been filled exclusively by men.

Last year three Presbyteries, it was said, made overtures to the General Assembly. One from the Presbytery of Columbia river asked that women be made eligible to ordination both as ministers and ruling elders. Another from the Presbytery of Dallas, Texas, asking that a committee be appointed to investigate the whole question of enlarged opportunities for women in the church, and the Presbytery of Saginaw, Mich., urged that they be ordained as ruling elders. The Moderator thereupon appointed a commission to inquire and report composed of Rev. S. Hall Young, chairman, the Rev. Edgar W. Work, and Rush Taggart, all of New York, the Rev. William Barrett, of Bellfontaine, Ohio, and John T. Manning, of New Haven, Conn.

The commission said it found that the Methodist Protestant and the Christian churches ordained women to the ministry but few availed themselves of the privilege. Four other denominations—the Lutheran, Episcopal, Baptist, and Methodist Episcopal, it was said, "do not have women preachers nor does there seem to be any particular inclination in these churches to accord them this office."

"In practically all of these seven churches," said the report, "women are admitted to every other official position in the church except the ministry. They serve on official boards, are trustees, deaconesses, etc., and there is a growing tendency to admit them to official equality with men in the matter of council and oversight in the government and service of the church."

Those opposed to any change in the present usage in the Presbyterian church were quoted by the commission as urging that ordination of women would lower the dignity of the office, afford an excuse for men to shirk their duties, retard or defeat the union of Presbyterian churches in the United States, keep men from church and countenance and accelerate a "dangerous feminist movement."

Arguments quoted in favor of the change included statements that it would accord with the spirit of the age and with women's civil equality, that women and girls composed the majority of the membership of the church and did more work than the entire sex and that they were "entitled

PRISONERS HAVE PLENTY OF MONEY

There are a large number in the Madison county jail who will soon be set at liberty, since most of them, convicted during the recent session of the United States court, are preparing to pay the fine assessed. This ranges from \$100 to \$200, and the sentences are chiefly for a period of 30 days, although there are a few of 60 days duration, while two are for a period of six months.

Attorneys in the city are commenting upon the fact that almost every man serving time in the county jail is doing so because they cannot avoid it—a logical conclusion, however, heretofore, the lack of money with which to pay fines has caused many to languish behind the bars for a considerable period. It develops that this will not be the case with the aggregation doing time at present, since all seem to be well supplied with money, and are putting in the required time at present, since all seemed to well supplied with money, and are putting in required time because of their inability to buy their way out. Several of the men incarcerated have several hundred dollars in their pockets and two of them asserted that they would remain in jail before they will pay the fines assessed.

Almost every one serving sentence allotted to them admit that they do not mind the fine, saying "that is easy," but when the jail sentence is tacked on they can but go to jail.

This does not indicate that the lenience shown first offenders by Judge Cochran being repeated in the future should any of them be brought before him again on similar charges, for he issued a warning before the close of the term stating that he was disposed to give most of them a chance, several pleading ignorance of the law.

MUSIC FESTIVAL OPENING TONIGHT

The opening of the May Music Festival Thursday night is being awaited with a degree of impatience by a number who have been steadily and earnestly rehearsing for the event for some time. The artists to appear on the program have begun to arrive and will be present at the appointed time. The big chorus is in readiness for its part in the affair and indications are that the festival will be all that has been hoped for.

The Piper of Hamelin, the second part of the introductory night will be an especially interesting and entertaining feature. The children from the fifth and sixth grade schools have been earnest workers in preparing and the appearance of Mr. John Hoffman promises to make the evening one of rare pleasure and success.

Weitzel's Appeal Dismissed

The Supreme Court of the United States has dismissed the appeal of Fred W. Weitzel, of Ludlow, former receiver of the First National Bank at London, Ky., convicted and sentenced for making alleged false reports to government and embezzlement. According to this decision, the case will have to be appealed from the U. S. District court to the U. S. Court of Appeals, and this action has already been taken.

Foreign Trade Conditions

Washington, May 20—April export decreased one hundred and thirty-five million while imports fell off thirty million, as compared with March figures, the Department of Commerce announced today.

The resolution was introduced by Senator Borah, republican of Idaho, and was adopted without a record vote and with little discussion.

THIS man went into the service a private and came out a Colonel. Hear him at the First Christian Church Saturday night. 120 4.

POTTS Gold Dust Flour makes better bread. Try and be convinced. Ask for it. 57 6

The commission declined to express an opinion on the merits of the question, stating that it was divided, "a majority having expressed themselves as conservative."

WORLD WAR HERO NOW FIGHTS BOOZE

Col. Dan Morgan Smith To Speak In Interest Of Anti-Saloon League Saturday Night

Col. Dan Morgan Smith, Chicago attorney and late commander of a battalion of the 538th infantry, is making a speaking tour of Kentucky under the joint direction of the Anti-Saloon League of America and the Kentucky League.

He will speak in the first Christian church in Richmond Saturday evening at 8 o'clock.

Col. Smith, it is announced, will relate his war experiences and those of his command. The battalion of which he had charge became known as the "Battalion of Death" because of the great execution which it brought on the enemy.

But it did not itself escape casualty. When it entered the St. Mihiel drive it had strength of 1161 men. At the conclusion of that drive its strength had been cut to 327.

Before the war Col. Smith was a major on the military staff of the governor of Illinois and judge advocate of the National Guard. At America's entrance into the war he enlisted as a private soldier and attended officers' training camp. His promotions were rapid. He and his command saw some of the hottest service of the entire war.

Colonel Smith's meetings are free. Women as well as men are invited. Especial invitation is given to former soldiers, sailors and marines.

It is said by the Anti-Saloon League that Colonel Smith has spoken many times in every state in the union, and also has been heard in several countries.

Former Madonian In

Big Work In West

Relatives have received copies of an issue of the Seattle, Wash., Daily Times containing pictures of John Speed Smith, brother of Mrs. G. W. Evans, who was in attendance at a meeting of Washington state prosecutors at Seattle. The prosecutors were conferring on an anti-Red campaign, which has been pushed with much success in that state. Mr. Smith, who is a former Kentuckian, is chief U. S. naturalization examiner for that district. He has had a prominent part in the campaign to make better Americans out of the large foreign element in the western states.

Investigation Is Ordered

(By Associated Press)
Washington, May 20—The Senate today ordered investigation of the campaigns of presidential candidates of both parties, including their contributions and expenditures or use of influence.

No Trace of Slaughter

(By Associated Press)
Louisville, Ky., May 20—Officers who crossed the Ohio river into Indiana last night in search of Tom Slaughter, alleged bandit, returned here today reporting that they found no trace of him.

Dorothy Dalton And

Players Report Incidents

Dorothy Dalton and her supporting company during the filming of "Black is White," her Thomas H. Ince photoplay, which will come to the local theatres today, had some rather startling experiences that were not set down in the script of the picture. Some of the scenes of the film take place in a jungle. To secure the proper atmosphere the players journeyed to Miami, Fla.

They had been on location only one day when the hurricane which swept over the South recently overtook them. At the time they were some fifteen miles from Miami, out in the country. The whole company was quickly packed into automobiles and driven at full speed to the city. "Properties" were left behind in the rush and one valuable motion picture camera was lost.

THIS is the greatest historical sketch ever given on the late war. Hear Col. Smith Saturday night. 120 4

"Joe" has a fresh lot of Miss Holiday's cand. Take a box to the May Festival with you—May 20 and 21. 119-3